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THE KING OF LOVE MY SHEPHERD IS

ST. COLUMBA



1. The King of love my shep - herd is, Whose
 2. Where streams of liv - ing wa - ter flow With
 3. Per - verse and fool - ish I have strayed, But
 4. In death's dark vale I fear no ill With
 5. You spread a ta - ble in my sight, Your
 6. And so through all the length of days Your



1. good - ness fails me nev - er; I noth - ing lack if
 2. gen - tle care he leads me, And where the ver - dant
 3. yet in love he sought me, And on his shoul - der
 4. you, dear Lord, be - side me; Your rod and staff my
 5. sav - ing grace be - stow - ing; And O what joy and
 6. good - ness fails me nev - er: Good Shep - herd, may I



1. I am his, And he is mine for - ev - er.
 2. pas - tures grow, With heav'n - ly food he feeds me.
 3. gent - ly laid, And home, re - joic - ing, brought me.
 4. com - fort still, Your cross be - fore to guide me.
 5. true de - light From your pure chal - ice flow - ing!
 6. sing your praise With - in your house for - ev - er.

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INTRODUCTORY RITES

Greeting

P: + The Lord be with you.

R: *And with your spirit.*

Placing of Christian Symbols

P: **HOLY WATER**

The presider sprinkles the casket with holy water, saying

In the waters of baptism **MARIO** died with Christ and rose with Him to new life. May **he** now share with Christ eternal glory.

P: **THE PALL**

The pall is placed on casket while presider says the following

In baptism **MARIO** was clothed in a white garment as a sign of **his** Christian dignity. Clothed in Christ may **he** now be welcomed to the heavenly banquet.

P: **BOOK OF THE GOSPELS**

The Book of the Gospel is placed on the casket while the presider says the following

In life **MARIO** cherished the Gospel of Christ. May Christ now greet **him** with these words of eternal life: **“Come, blessed of my Father!”**

P: **CROSS**

The crucifix is now placed on the coffin while presider says the following

In baptism **MARIO** received the sign of the cross. May **he** now share in Christ’s victory over sin and death.

OPENING PRAYER

During Ordinary Time (Outside Easter Season)

P: **O God, almighty Father,
our faith professes that
 your Son died and rose again;
mercifully grant, that through this mystery
your servant **MARIO**
who has fallen asleep in Christ,
may rejoice to rise again through him.
Who lives and reigns with you
in the unity of the Holy Spirit,
one God, for ever and ever.**

R: **Amen.**

LITURGY OF THE WORD

FIRST READING

Isaiah 25:6a, 7-9

LECTOR: A READING FROM THE BOOK OF THE PROPHET ISAIAH

On this mountain the Lord of hosts
will provide for all peoples.
On this mountain He will destroy
the veil that veils all peoples,
The web that is woven over all nations;
He will destroy death forever.

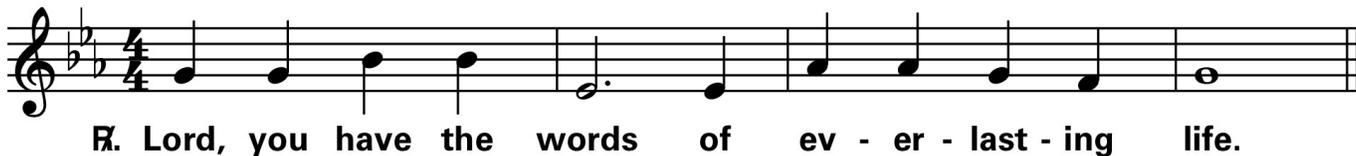
**The Lord God will wipe away
the tears from all faces;**
The reproach of His people He will remove
from the whole earth; for the Lord has spoken.

On that day it will be said:
“Behold our God, to whom we looked to save us!
This is the Lord for whom we looked;
let us rejoice and be glad that He has saved us!”

The Word of the Lord.

A: Thanks be to God.

PSALM 19: THIRD SUNDAY OF LENT, YEAR B



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R. (John 6:68c) **Lord, you have the words of everlasting life.**

The law of the LORD is perfect,
refreshing the soul;
The decree of the LORD is trustworthy,
giving wisdom to the simple.

R. **Lord, you have the words of everlasting life.**

The precepts of the LORD are right,
rejoicing the heart;
the command of the LORD is clear,
enlightening the eye.

R. **Lord, you have the words of everlasting life.**

The fear of the LORD is pure,
enduring forever;
the ordinances of the LORD are true,
all of them just.

R. **Lord, you have the words of everlasting life.**

They are more precious than gold,
than a heap of purest gold;
sweeter also than syrup
or honey from the comb.

R. **Lord, you have the words of everlasting life.**

SECOND READING

(Romans 6:3-4, 8-9)

LECTOR:

A READING FROM THE LETTER OF PAUL TO THE ROMANS

Are you unaware that we who were baptized into Christ Jesus were baptized into His death? We were indeed buried with Him through baptism into death, so that, just as Christ was raised from the dead by the glory of the Father, we too might live in newness of life. **If, then, we have died with Christ, we believe that we shall also live with Him.** We know that Christ, raised from the dead, dies no more; death no longer has power over Him.

All: **The Word of the Lord.**
Thanks be to God.

LENTEN GOSPEL ACCLAMATION NO. IX-A



R. Praise to you, Lord Je - sus Christ, King of end - less glo - ry!

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Verse Before the Gospel

Jn 3:16

God so loved the world that he gave his only Son,
so everyone who believes in him might have eternal life.

GOSPEL

Jn. 17:24-26

P: The Lord be with you.

A: **And with your spirit.**

P: A Reading from the Holy Gospel according to John.

A: **+ Glory to you, O Lord.**

Jesus raised His eyes to heaven and said:

Father, [my disciples] are Your gift to me. **I wish that where I am they also may be with me**, that they may see my glory that You gave me, because You loved me before the foundation of the world. Righteous Father, the world also does not know You, but I know You, and they know that You sent me. I made to them Your name and I will make it known, that the love with which You loved me may be in them and I in them.”

The Gospel of the Lord.

A: **Praise to you Lord Jesus Christ.**

HOMILY

PRIEST:

God, the almighty Father, raised Christ His Son from the dead; with confidence we ask Him to save all His people living and dead:

LECTOR: For **MARIO** who in Baptism was given the pledge of eternal life, that he now be admitted to the company of the saints. We pray to the Lord: **(R)**

All: **Lord, hear our prayer.**

LECTOR: For **MARIO** who ate the Body of Christ, the Bread of Life, that he may be raised up on the last day. We pray to the Lord: **(R)**

All: **Lord, hear our prayer.**

LECTOR: For the family and friends of **MARIO**, that they may be consoled in their grief by the Lord who wept at the death of His friend Lazarus. We pray to the Lord: **(R)**

All: **Lord, hear our prayer.**

LECTOR: For our deceased relatives and friends and for all those who have helped us, that they may have the reward of their goodness. We pray to the Lord: **(R)**

All: **Lord, hear our prayer.**

LECTOR: For those who have fallen asleep in the hope of rising again, that they may see God face to face. We pray to the Lord: **(R)**

All: **Lord, hear our prayer.**

LECTOR: For all of us assembled here to worship in faith, that we may be gathered together again in God's Kingdom. We pray to the Lord: **(R)**

All: **Lord, hear our prayer.**

PRIEST:

God, our Shelter and our Strength,
You listen in love to the cry of Your people:
Hear the prayers we offer for our departed brothers and sisters.
Cleanse them of their sins
And grant them the fullness of redemption.
We ask this through Christ our Lord.

All: **Amen.**

OFFERTORY

ONLY THIS I WANT

Dan Schutte

Refrain



On - ly this I want: but to know the Lord,
and to bear his cross, so to wear the crown he wore.

Verses



1. All but this is loss, worth-less ref-use to me,
2. I will run the race; I will fight the good fight,
3. Let your heart be glad, al - ways glad in the Lord,



1. for to gain the Lord is to gain ___ all I need.
2. so to win the prize of the king-dom of my Lord.
3. so to shine like stars in the dark-ness of the night.

to Refrain

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HOLY, HOLY, HOLY

HOLY

Mass of Christ the Savior
Dan Schutte

Ho - ly, Ho - ly, Ho - ly Lord God of hosts. Heav-en and
earth are full, are full of your glo - ry. Ho - san - na! Ho -
san - na! Ho-san - na in the high - est. Bless-ed is
he who comes, who comes in the name of the Lord. Ho -

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WE PROCLAIM

WE PROCLAIM YOUR DEATH

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We pro-claim your Death, O Lord, and pro-fess your
Res - ur - rec - tion un - til you come a - gain.

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AMEN

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A - men. A - men. A - men.

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LAMB OF GOD

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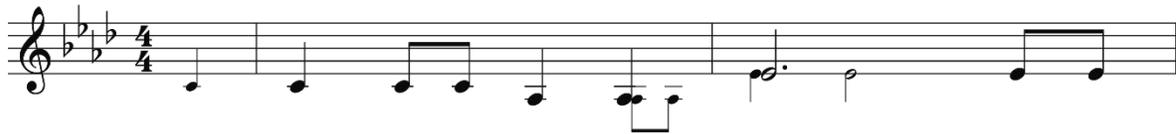
Lamb of God, you take a - way the sins of the
world, have mer-cy on us. world, grant us peace.

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COMMUNION

I Am the Bread of Life / Yo Soy el Pan de Vida

Verses



1. I am the Bread of life. You who
2. The bread that I will give is my
3. Un - less you eat of the
4. I am the Res - ur - rec - tion,
5. Yes, Lord, we be - lieve that

1. Yo soy el Pan de Vi - da. A mí
2. El pan que yo da - ré es mi
3. Si us - te - des no co - men la
4. Yo soy la Re - su - rrec - ción,
5. Sí, Se - ñor, cre - e - mos que



come to me shall not hun - ger; and who be -
flesh for the life of the world, and if you
flesh of the Son of Man and
I am the life. If you be -
you are the Christ, the

ven - gan: no ten - drán ham - bre. En mí
car - ne, la vi - da del mun - do. Los que
car - ne del Hi - jo del Hom - bre, y no
Yo soy la Vi - da. Si en
tú e - res el Me - sí - as, el



lieve in me shall not thirst. No one can come to
eat of this bread, you shall live for
drink of his blood, and drink of his
lieve in me, e - ven though you
Son of God, Who has

cre - an: no ten - drán sed. Na - die vie - ne a
co - men de es - te pan vi - vi - rán por
be - ben de su san - gre, no be - ben de su
mí us - te - des cre - en, aun - que ha - yan
Hi - jo de Dios, que has ve - ni - do al



me un - less the Fa - ther beck - ons.
 ev - er, you shall live for ev - er.
 blood, you shall not have life with - in you.
 die, you shall live for ev - er.
 come in - to the world.

mí si mi Pa - dre no lo a - tra - e.
siem - pre, vi - vi - rán por siem - pre.
san - gre, no po - drán te - ner mi vi - da.
muer - to, vi - vi - rán por siem - pre.
mun - do pa - ra re - di - mir - nos.

Refrain



And I will raise you up, and I will
Yo los re - su - ci - ta - ré, Yo los re -



raise you up, and I will raise you
su - ci - ta - ré, Yo los re - su - ci - ta -



up on the last day.
ré en el dí - a fi - nal.

Text: John 6 and 11; Suzanne Toolan, RSM, b.1927; tr. by anon., rev. by Ronald F. Krisman, b.1946
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PRAYER AFTER COMMUNION

**P: Lord God, whose Son left us,
in the Sacrament of his Body,
food for the journey,
mercifully grant that, strengthened by it,
our beloved MARIO may come
to the eternal table of Christ.
Who lives and reigns for ever and ever.**

R: Amen.

EULOGY

FINAL COMMENDATION

Invitation to Prayer

P: Before we go our separate ways, let us take leave of MARIO. May our farewell express our affection for him; may it ease our sadness and strengthen our hope. One day we shall joyfully greet him again when the love of Christ, which conquers all things, destroys even death itself.

Silence

SONG OF FAREWELL (Incense)

SONG OF FAREWELL

G Bm Em D G

1. Come to his/her aid, O saints of God; Come meet him/her,
 2. May Christ, who called you, take you home, And an - gels
 3. Give him/her e - ter - nal rest, O Lord. May light un -
 4. I know that my Re - deem - er lives; The last day

Em C G D Em D Am

1. an - gels of the Lord. }
 2. lead you to A - bra - ham. } Re - ceive his/her soul, O
 3. end - ing shine on him/her. }
 4. I shall rise a - gain. }

C D7 Em D G C G/D D G

1-4. ho - ly ones; Pre - sent him/her now to God, Most High.

Note: When guitar and keyboard play together, keyboardists should improvise using the guitar chords above the melody.

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Prayer of Commendation

P: Into your hands, Father of mercies,
we commend **MARIO**
in the sure and certain hope
that, together with all who have died in Christ,
he will rise with Him on the last day.

We give You thanks for the blessings, which You bestowed upon **MARIO** in this life:
they are signs to us of Your goodness, and of our fellowship with the saints in Christ.

Merciful Lord,
turn toward us and listen to our prayers:
open the gates of paradise
to Your servant **MARIO**
and help us who remain to comfort one another
with assurances of faith,
until we all meet in Christ
and are with You
and with **MARIO** forever.
We ask this through Christ our Lord.

R: Amen.

DISMISSAL

P: In the sure hope of the resurrection, let us now take **MARIO** to the Los Osos Memorial
Park for the Rite of Committal.

CLOSING HYMN

FLY LIKE A BIRD

Ken Canedo

Refrain

Fly like a bird to the Lord, my soul.

I want to soar like an eagle.

Though I may journey far a-way from home,

I know I'll never be alone.

Verses

1. O God, you know who I am.
2. Where can I run from your love?
3. When I am down and afraid,

1. You know my hopes and my dreams. In my
2. Where can I hide from my God? From the
3. when I am falling a-way, you ex-

1. pon - der - ing and fears, in my joy and in my tears,
2. dawn of morn - ing's light to the dark - ness of the night,
3. tend a gen - tle hand, and I know you un - der - stand.

1-3. O God, your pres - ence is real. to Refrain

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